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IMESD District Board Talking Points

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At IMESD, the fall season is the time to develop next year's Local Service Plan (LSP). Over the past several months, Dr. Mulvihill worked with the superintendents to brainstorm changes in the LSP. Due to the highly collaborative nature of the superintendent group, our region is well-poised for transformational work.

The IMESD board recently set four goals based on improving teacher quality and student learning. The proposed changes to the 2016-17 LSP reflect these goals, as well as the superintendent feedback:

- Instructional Coaches – IMESD will implement a regional instructional coaching model to assist new teachers.
- Wellness HUBs – Expansion of the HUB concept to include four major programs: CARE, oral health, mental health, and coordinated nursing care.
- Technology Desktop Support – Increased direct support and creation of a new CTE technology training program for high school students.
- Federal State Reporting Support – Assistance to district administration in the completion of the multitude of federal reporting requirements.
- School Security – Comprehensive school safety reviews and plans.

The final LSP document will be completed in December. The IMESD board will take formal action to approve the 2016-17 LSP in January of 2016. District boards vote to approve in February.